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FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 007, ANNOUNCEMENT
PY-239

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen cooked diced chicken meat produced from fowl as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Nov. 6. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Thursday, Nov. 9 (due to the holiday on Friday for Federal employees). Deliveries are to be made from Jan. 1 to Jan. 15, 2001.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen cooked diced chicken meat, produced from ready-to-cook fowl (a class of mature female chickens), packed in four 10-pound (4.54 kg) packages to a net weight of 40 pounds (18.14 kg) in each shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. **Note that some item numbers and the associated quantities for frozen cooked diced chicken have been set aside for small business concerns and are indicated by a single asterisk.** Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-239, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken dated July 1999, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, P.O. Box 96456, Washington, D.C. 20090-6456, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>. The Electronic Bid Entry System is available for submitting offers at <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-239, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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INVITATION : 007
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 21 CHICKEN, DICED, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/01 - 01/15/01

001	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
002	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	*SET ASIDE
	YORK	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	*SET ASIDE
003	ASHLAND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
004	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
005	BIRMINGHAM	AL		40,000	*SET ASIDE
006	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
007	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		40,000	
008	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000	
009	JACKSON	MS		40,000	
010	MAGEE	MS	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
011	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
012	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	28,000	
	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	12,000	
013	FORT WAYNE	IN	TRUCK ONLY	16,800	*SET ASIDE
	LOGANSPO	IN	TRUCK ONLY	23,200	*SET ASIDE
014	FORT WAYNE	IN	TRUCK ONLY	20,400	
	VINCENNES	IN	TRUCK ONLY	19,600	
015	DETROIT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
016	KALAMAZOO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	120,000	
017	LITTLE ROCK	AR		80,000	
018	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		40,000	
019	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	

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020	FOREST GROVE	OR		40,000
021	PUYALLUP	WA		20,000
	SEATTLE/FAS	WA	FAS	20,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 960,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 960,000

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Contracting Officer

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